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New U.S. Patent Application

Title: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MANAGING AND
TRACKING CHILD WELFARE SERVICES**

Inventors: Lloyd R. Camp et al.

Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application- 40 pages, including 2 independent claims and 24 claims total.
2. Drawings- 25 sheets of drawings (Figures 1-24).
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**Applicant claims the right to priority based on Provisional Patent
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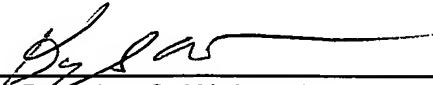
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ENCLOSURES:

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3. Drawings - 25 Sheets (Figures 1-24)
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